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## Opposition to HECATE plant near Bakersfield

Sir/Ms;

My family and I are opposed to the proposed HECA? Power plant near Tupman and Bakersfield.

The negative impacts created by this project far outweigh the minuscule benefit.

This project uses too much water (7650 acre feet) in our already parched valley and "water short agriculture".

When HECA pulls water from our valley water stores it will draw from and further deplete SJV aquifers.

Coal is not clean. Mercury for one will be a pollutant generated.

Carbon emissions from diesel delivery trucks will overwhelm this end of the valley. Please cancel HECA.